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## New Fountain Notes.

Mr. Christian Nietenhoefer of this neighborhood and Miss Minnie Leinweber of the upper Hondo were happily married by Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the church, at two o'clock Thursday, February 12, 1914. Mr. Edward Moehring and Miss Ida Leinweber were bridesmaids. The bride takes pleasure in wishing the newly married couple bon voyage on their journey through life.

Miss Annie Gerdes returned to her home in San Antonio after a several days' visit to relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Misses Lydia and Minnie Buss are from Houston where they had been visiting for some time.

Mrs. Louisa Burge is here from San Antonio visiting relatives.

Mrs. August Schmidt and baby spent the last week with Mrs. Albert Bendele on Black Creek.

Prof. Kenedy and Supt. Saathoff were pleasant visitors at the Biry School Friday. Both kindly consented to give a little talk, which was appreciated very much by the teacher and pupils.

The entire family of Mr. Jack Bilhartz was taken with the measles this last week. With the exception of Mrs. Bilhartz, they seem to be only slight cases. Miss Laura Bilhartz, who was staying in Hondo, was called home to tend the sick ones.

Since our last writing, another death has occurred in our community. The little daughter of J. W. Redus took membranous croup and died. The burial took place at Black Creek cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents in their hour of trouble.

The Biry School had a Valentine Box at the school house on Friday. A postmaster was duly elected who delivered many "hearts" with loving verses subscribed thereon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Biry are visiting relatives and friends in Devine.

Mr. Rudolph Haass went to Dunlay Saturday on business.

There was a report circulated this last week to the effect that two young ladies were to give a dance here. This report was wholly untrue and caused some inconvenience to several parties who came from long distances.

Miss Josie Delbrail of Devine is visiting at the home of Geo. Schmidt. Biry, Texas.

## Riomedina Roundups.

The dance given at the Mayflower hall last Saturday night was largely attended and highly enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Chas. Baby is spending the week in San Antonio.

Misses Lina and Nita Schuehle of Sturm Hill were shopping here Saturday.

Mr. Adolph Haegelin and family were guests of E. B. Haegelin and wife several days this week.

Miss Ida Ihnken was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Boehme, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jungmann of Macedonia spent Sunday with Mr. Louis Baby and family.

Mr. E. B. Haegelin received his "Case" car this week.

Mrs. John Ihnken of Chicon visited her daughter, Mrs. Ed Seekatz, a few days since.

Mrs. Henry Boehme spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Haegelin, near Castroville.

Mrs. Armin Boehme and Miss Meda are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken this week.

Mrs. Max Boehme was called to Castroville this week to be with her youngest son, Robert, who is sick there.

Riomedina, Tex., Feb. 16, 1914.

## The Smallpox Situation.

The smallpox among the Mexicans continues to spread, a new case having been found about three miles west of town yesterday. A detention camp has been made on the Montel farm and hereafter all cases will be concentrated there as soon as discovered and it is thought the spread can then be stopped. There was a report abroad yesterday that there were several cases in town but Dr. Smith had not been able to locate any up to the hour of going to press.

## 300 Acres

of uncleared land, black mesquite, seven miles from railroad. Price \$15.00, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to

HONDO LAND CO.,

Hondo, Texas.

## Notice.

Lots 3 and 4 in Block 3 in Miller addition. Bargain if taken at once.

E. G. GARWOOD.

## By-words.

Over an exceedingly cold spell the farmer got the desired shower. The ground is now in excellent condition for the spring sowing.

Messrs. G. W. Fant and Neal held a Farmers Union meeting at the Hall last week. Both are very pleasant gentlemen and interesting talkers.

Messrs. Joe Franger and Hiram Harris were business visitors to San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Posch and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biry were in Hondo Saturday.

Henry Mangold of Noonan, Bill Smith of Devine and Andrew Ahr of Castroville were in this neighborhood last week buying cattle.

Tom Griffin and wife and child of Hondo are spending a few days with J. A. Blackburn and family.

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## TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

### XL. WISDOM

**S**OCRATES taught the Athenians philosophy and Solon gave Greece her laws and under their inspiring influence civilization bore its noblest fruits. The Greeks owed their advancement to strong leaders who were able to grapple with fundamental thoughts and to a citizenship that drank deeply at the fountain of truth and wisdom. Every age has been indebted for progress to its geniuses who could open the store-house of knowledge and history tells us that nations pine away and die in the arms of ignorance.



SOCRATES TEACHING WISDOM.

Let that nation that would reach the towering height of civilization rock the cradle of thought in the billows of progress, nurture genius on the milk of inspiration, chasten ambition with the rod of experience that civilization may bloom and bear its golden fruits of power, happiness and prosperity. Texas Needs Great Men.

## Program for Busy Bees.

Sunday afternoon, Feb. 22nd, at 3 o'clock.

Leader, Kathleen Lynch.

Song 132.

Prayer.

Scripture reading, John I, 6-24, by Leader.

Reading, Elsie Mae Favor.

First four Commandments.

Reading, Maggie Jewel Whitehead.

Song, No. 91.

Benediction.

Members answer roll call with Bible verses.

## Blackleg Vaccine.

At Windrow's Drug Store. Stop your stock from dying now by vaccinating them.

## Epworth League Program.

Sunday, Feb. 22, 1914.

Leader, Miss Pearl Newton.

Opening song.

Prayer.

Missionary lesson.

The Two-faced Mutes and the Mohammedans, Chapters VII and VIII.

Song.

Announcements.

League benediction.

## Notice Beekeepers.

Just received two cars of Bee Supplies direct from the factory, also a large stock of Comb Foundation. Orders filled without delay.

Respectfully,

J. W. REID,

Uvalde, Texas.

## Commissioners' Court.

Commissioner Brucks reported that he had settled with the land owners under former orders of this court for the right of way and land damages taken for the new road from New Fountain to the Quihi switch, connecting the Hondo-New Fountain road with the Hondo and Dunlay road. The following damages were allowed: Henry Poehler, \$52.75; Mrs. Henry Poehler Sr. \$63.75; Fritz Helmke, \$67.80; L. A. Heyen, \$120.00; John Muennink, \$250.00; and the damages for Henry Stiegler and Mrs. Geo. Muennink had not yet been paid. He also reported that he had cut down the Hondo banks for road-crossing, grubbed the right-of-way and re-set fences, but that the G. H. & S. A. Ry. had not fixed road crossing. The road was ordered opened as a second-class 40-foot road.

Commissioner Tschirhart reported that the new road from Cliff P. O., at C. Schuchart's, on the Castroville-San Geronimo road, thence west across lands of Schuchart, Haegelin and Haegle, to intersect the Castroville-Diversion Dam road at Deep Creek, was open for travel, the damages having been paid and fences reset. It is ordered that the county surveyor survey the road and file plat and field notes for record and the road is ordered established as a first class 40-foot road.

In the matter of the Devine-Rose Hill road, connecting the Hondo-Devine road with the Devine-Zig Zag road, it was ordered that Commissioner Grant arrange for right-of-way damages, re-setting fences, etc., and report to the next term of this court.

The road matter for a new road from Devine-Bear creek road near Naegelin and Blatz corners east to Atascosa line, it is ordered that Commissioner Grant arrange with land owners as to damages and resetting fences and report to the next term of this court.

In the petition for a new road, filed by A. L. Haegelin, et al., it was ordered that the court review the proposed road at some future time.

The school trustees to hold the trustee election on the first Saturday in April were appointed.

The sum of \$30.00 was donated to Sam Tschirhart, from the General Fund, to pay his expenses in attending the four weeks good roads course at the A. & M. College.

Funds were apportioned from the road fund as follows:

Precinct 1	\$ 582.00
" 2	424.50
" 3	510.00
" 4	483.50
Total	\$2,000.00

Election officers were appointed for the various precincts.

Petition of Alva R. Howard and others for a voting poll at Natalia was granted.

Various reports of fines collected, etc., by various county and precinct officers, were by the court approved.

Account of J. F. Bader for \$363.75 for feeding prisoners from Nov. 11, 1913 to Feb. 5th was approved.

Various other accounts were allowed and reports of Tax Collections, etc., were approved.

Court adjourned Saturday afternoon.

## A Timely Letter.

TO THE EDITOR:

Have read many opinions expressed about vaccination in Letters to the Light, therefore please publish the following from one who will only present facts about vaccination and smallpox:

I have lived in a town of less than 1000 inhabitants in Chihuahua, Mexico, where the disease raged, and inside of five months 120 persons, mostly children of 5 and 12 years of age. I could not see any difference between clean and filthy surroundings; they all took the disease alike and about 50 per cent died.

Not one person of those who were vaccinated took the disease.

I have been through a cholera epidemic in Uruguay in 1867, where five of my nearest neighbors died inside of 48 hours, have also attended many who were suffering with pneumonia, croup and other dreadful diseases, but the worst of all is a bad case of smallpox where the victim burns slowly to death.

This disease can and will be prevented by vaccination.

J. U. ZUBERBUELER,  
In San Antonio Light.

## Bargains In Homes.

One of the best houses in Hondo, three blocks south of depot on Center St. Also the Waitman house in south part of town. Apply to

C. W. GILLIAM.

## Celebrates Sixty-Fourth Birthday.

Our fellow townsman, Deputy Collector and Deputy Tax Assessor, August Hornung, was 64 years old Sunday, and his family celebrated the event by a grand re-union and home-coming.

Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Hornung were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoefling, Miss Paulina Hornung, Miss Albertina Hornung and Walter Walker of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ernest and baby, A. W. Hornung, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grimsinger, Miss Josie Delbrail, Fritz Weber and Overton Schmidt.

The dining room was appropriately decorated and an elegant dinner was served. The day was most agreeably spent, and all wish Papa and Grandpa Hornung many returns of his natal day.

Mr. Hornung was also the recipient of several congratulatory letters from his grand-children in San Antonio who could not attend.

After spending a pleasant day, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoefling, Miss Paulina Hornung and Mr. Walker returned to San Antonio on the evening train.

## Married.

Mr. Christian Nietenhoefer and Miss Minnie Leinweber, two popular young people of this place, were happily married Thursday, February 12, 1914, at two o'clock p. m.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Lutheran church at Hondo. Miss Ida Leinweber was bridesmaid and Mr. Eddie Moehring best man.

The bride is one of the pretty, accomplished daughters of Mr. and Mrs. August Leinweber of the Upper Hondo. The groom is a rising young farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Nietenhoefer of Vandenberg.

The happy young couple will make their home at Vandenberg.

They have a host of friends who join in sincerely wishing them a long, happy and prosperous married life.

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## Prohibition Primary.

Pursuant to the call of Chairman M. K. Fred, there was a mass meeting of Prohibition Democrats held at the court house Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

Delegates to the state convention to be held in Ft. Worth today were chosen as follows: E. W. Lacy, J. P. Nixon, H. G. Wilson, D. W. Short, J. T. Briscoe, J. A. Kercheville, Mack Kercheville, A. F. Peters, M. K. Fred, D. H. Fly, F. G. Moses, Jack Fusselman, W. L. Dubose and I. H. King.

A resolution endorsing Tom Ball for Governor was passed, but the delegates were sent unopposed.

Messrs. E. W. Lacy and J. T. Briscoe left yesterday for Ft. Worth to represent the county in the convention there today.

## Married.

C. A. Johnson and Miss Laura Wahr-mund were married at the Methodist parsonage at this place Saturday evening, February 14, 1914, Rev. M. K. Fred, pastor of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony.

The Anvil Herald joins the many friends of the contracting parties in extending congratulations and best wishes.

## Bring on Your Job Work.

Besides being short handed, we have had a rush of job work this week. Besides delivering several local orders, we have sent printing to Runge, Castroville, New Fountain, D'Hanis and Sabinal this week. The rush has put us behind but we have secured the services of an extra man and will soon be caught up again. Bring on your job orders.

## Notice.

The Woodward ranch in Frio and Medina Counties, has been duly posted according to law. All persons are hereby warned not to hunt, fish or in any manner trespass in any of said pastures, as all violators will be prosecuted.

Feb. 28.

GEORGE OGE,

Manager Woodward Ranch.

## Cotton Seed.

I am agent for the A. D. Mebane Co. of Lockhart, growers of the celebrated Mebane Cotton. Seed for planting, f. o. b. Lockhart, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per bushel. See me at once and place your order for seed for spring planting.

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"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

There is another and a better way. You don't have to know the names of the alum powders. Use Royal Baking Powder only; that assures you a cream of tartar powder, and the purest and most healthful baking powder beyond question.

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### Good Things That Are Free.

It doesn't cost money, as many suppose,  
To have a good time on the earth;  
The best of its pleasures are free unto those  
Who know how to value their worth.  
Kind words and glad looks and smiles  
cherry and brave  
Cost nothing—no nothing at all;  
And yet all the wealth Monte Christo  
could save  
Can make no such pleasure befall.  
Communion with friends that are tried,  
true and strong,  
To love and be loved for love's sake—  
In fact, all that makes a life happy and long,  
Are free to whoever will take.  
—Selected.

TRY this paper one year for one dollar.

If you are satisfied to take things as they come, you won't get much.—The Globe.

THE Anvil Herald prints and circulates over a thousand papers regularly every week. Advertisers should consider this when placing their advertising.

CARRY forgiveness into your life, and remember that a chip of remembrance sometimes becomes a log of remorse. Try to forget the evil and remember the good.—The Globe.

BETTER the chance of shipwreck on a voyage of high purpose than to expend life in paddling hither and thither on a shallow stream to no purpose at all.—Miss Sedgwick.

If God be manifest in the beauty of Nature, in human love, and in the justice of the moral law, he is manifest, also in the human intellect when it seeks after intellectual truth.—Francis C. Lowell.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.  
FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1906.  
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Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Should Texas Imitate Kansas?

The prohibitionists seem determined to avoid the rocks on which they have wrecked their political craft in the past several elections. From the bosses—some of the shrewdest political buccaners who ever floated on a political sea—has gone out the order for elimination, and all along the line steps are being taken to eliminate the weaker men and centralize upon the strongest to lead the embattled ranks of the pros. If they can succeed in getting together little less than a miracle can prevent their gaining control of every branch of the state government and where our liberties will go one shudders to contemplate.—Hondo Anvil Herald.

The foregoing paragraph in a recent issue of the Anvil Herald evoked the following from the editor of the Devine News:

Kansas has been under prohibition 33 years, and her record in decrease of crime, illiteracy and in increase of per capita wealth is astonishing. Half her jails are empty and more than half her counties are without a single case of insanity and she has a per capita wealth of \$1,700, for every man, woman and child in the state. It's awful, isn't it?

Seeing he has by this renounced his avowed intention never to engage in a controversy with us again—since he can not expect us to agree with the con-

clusion he evidently intends should be inferred from the foregoing and thereby invites one—we will examine this latest effusion.

He states what HE HEARS to be the fortunate conditions that prevail in Kansas and would have you conclude by inference that all of these good things came to Kansas because Kansas has had statewide prohibition for 33 years.

While neither affirming or denying that the prevailing conditions in Kansas are correctly stated, we can not agree with the conclusion that they prevail because of prohibition, for if what WE HEAR is true "the people who want a prohibition law in Kansas have it and those who want liquor have all the liquor they want." Certain it is that it has not been 33 years since Carry Nation was smashing saloons in this wonderful Kansas that is held up as an example for Texas to imitate. It could scarcely be claimed that a law that is not accomplishing its primary purpose could do so much incidentally.

But presume that the law does actually prohibit, we still cannot agree with the inference intended. We can not help believing that some measure of the good times in Kansas is due to the absence for several years of grasshopper plagues; the yield of good crops—which has doubled in the past thirty-five years—the good prices that have been received for farm products; the cheaper money that has enabled farmers to pay off mortgages and improve their physical, educational and moral surroundings; and the wholesome thought that, in spite of the fact that prohibition territory and the consumption of a meaner class of booze continue to increase, the people of this old world are growing better. We prefer to believe that these things have something to do with the boasted conditions in Kansas rather than that they exist because liquor can not be legally acquired there.

But suppose, Kansas is prospering in the way described because prohibition is prohibiting,—which we in no way concede—we do not agree with the implied conclusion that Texas should follow her example and, like Esau, swap her birthright for a mess of prosperity pottage. Stripped of all its befogging superfluities the question of prohibition resolves itself into the purely ethical and personal one of whether it is morally wrong for a man to take a drink of liquor. If it is morally wrong to drink it it would follow that it is morally wrong to make it, give it or sell it. If it is not wrong to drink it it cannot be wrong to make it, give it away or sell it. And while it is rightfully subject to reasonable regulation, if it is not wrong for a man to drink it it must follow that it is wrong to prohibit his acquiring it. This is the logic of the question which neither pro or anti can change. In seeking the proper answer to it, instead of following a bunch of Kansas Jayhawkers and the editor of the Devine News, we prefer to follow the example of One who set the world its standard of love and forgiveness, and yet who if he were to feast in Devine as He feasted His last time on earth would lose caste with the pious editor of that rag, and who were he to repeat his feat of the marriage supper there, less fortunate than that same editor, would have more than one indictment for violating the local option laws to be squashed in a merciful court!

Furthermore, if it be granted that to drink wine is wrong and that on this question Christ was a poor deluded blind leader of the blind who must continue to fall into the gutter until the light breaks in upon us from great and glorious Kansas and shows us the way out of the ditch, we still can not subscribe to the in-

ference that Texas should follow the example of Kansas; because it is not right to accomplish a purpose by indirect methods. If it is wrong to take a drink of liquor, outlaw it directly. If it is wrong, you perpetrate a wrong in seeking by subterfuge what should be done in an open, direct and above board manner. Good men should not do evil even that good may come of it. Prohibitionists confess to a doubt of the justice of their cause when they seek to prevent the temperate use of liquor indirectly by making it unlawful for a man to acquire it.

For shame on such a cause and such a propaganda.

NONE of us can live well by an occasional good resolution. Everything depends on storing up in ourselves, by a habit of right-willing and well-doing, a great and ever-increasing fund of moral power, which shall always be available to brace us against sudden temptation, to help us carry out our better purposes, and to hold us steady and true to the ideal.—Charles G. Ames.

HAND us a dollar and have this paper sent to you for one year. There will be something doing in every issue and each copy will be worth the price of a year's subscription.

### HELP THE KIDNEYS

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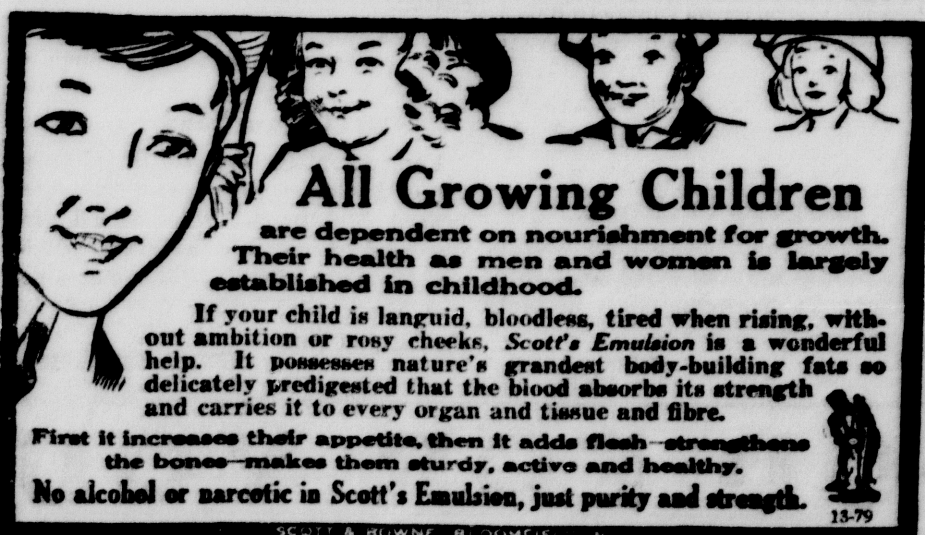
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**CASTROVILLE**

Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

**ED H. HUEHNER, Editor**

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Capt. L. W. Buell invited a number of relatives and intimate friends to his hospitable home Sunday to celebrate the event of the Captain's 47th anniversary. Plenty of good things to eat and refreshments were served and a fine old time is reported. We join the many friends in wishing the Captain many happy returns of his natal day.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zimmermann last Sunday night. A large crowd attended and a good time is reported.

Robert, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Haby of Cliff, had his leg fractured in two places below the knee by a horse falling with him Monday. The lad was brought to town for medical attention and is getting along as well as can be expected.

Louis Scherrer was a San Antonio business visitor Monday.

Frank Schwendemann made a flying business trip to Hondo Monday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Groff, aged only a few short hours, died early Tuesday morning and the little corpse was laid to rest at the Catholic cemetery Tuesday evening. Rev. Father Heckmann performed the last sad rites. We join in sympathy for the bereaved parents.

Mike Franger of Idlewild was a Castroville business visitor Tuesday.

**TWO HOME WOMEN TALKED ABOUT HAIR**

Two women met in our store the other day, when one of them said: "My, how pretty your hair looks! What have you been doing to it?"

"Why, I have been using Harmony Hair Beautifier for the past two weeks," was the reply.

"Why, indeed?" replied the first woman, "that is just what I am using. Isn't it great, and don't you think my hair shows a lot of improvement?"

Harmony Hair Beautifier is becoming all the rage among both men and women who are particular in the care of their hair. It is just what it is named—a hair beautifier. It seems to polish and burnish the hair, making it glossy, silky-soft, and more easy to put up in graceful, wavy folds that "stay put." Contains no oil, and will not change color of hair nor darken it. Simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it.

To keep your hair and scalpandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich, foaming lather that immediately penetrates to every part of the hair and scalp, insuring a quick and thorough cleansing. It is washed off just as quickly, the entire operation taking only a few moments. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only by us—Martin Drug Co., Hondo, Texas.

**Saved His Religion.**

An old negro arose in prayer meeting and said: "Brederin' and sisterin', I been a mighty mean nigger in my time. I had a heap o' ups and downs—'specially downs—since I jined de church. I stole chickens and water-millins. I cussed. I got drunk. I shot craps. I slashed udder coons wid my razor, and I done a sight o' udder things, but thank de good Lawd, brederin' an' sisterin', I never yet lost my religion'."

**No Mor Pain.**

Pain cannot exist where Hunt's Lightning Oil is applied, says one user. No other liniment acts so quickly. You simply rub it on and the pain is gone almost instantly. Those who suffer from rheumatism, neuralgia, headaches and similar troubles should get a bottle at once. For cuts and bruises, burns and sprain and abrasions of the skin it acts as a healing oil, soothing and quieting the pain, and preventing soreness and irritation. We have never known it to fail to relieve chilblains. For sale in 25c and 50c bottles by druggists. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Before burning your bridges behind you it might be well to have them insured.

When Ballard's Snow Liniment is rubbed in for rheumatic aches and pains, it reaches the spot quickly and the relief is very gratifying. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Mr. Frank Schwendemann and Miss Rosa Naegelin were happily married at St. Louis Church early Wednesday morning, Feb. 11, 1914. Rev. Father Heckmann performed the nuptial ceremony. We join in wishing the happy couple bon voyage.

A fine 1 1/2 inch rain visited this section Wednesday night much to the delight of farmers and stockmen.

Lawrence Rihn and daughter, Miss Leontine, and Jac. Rihn and son, Edwin, were Alamo City visitors Thursday.

Rev. Father Heckmann was a visitor to San Antonio Friday.

Robt. and Josie Rihn were business visitors to San Antonio Friday as were likewise Aug. Etter and Robert Gerloff on Saturday.

John Grossenbacher and a Mr. Ellison of Bexar Co. were Castroville business visitors Saturday.

Little Miss Florence Scherrer invited all of her schoolmates to her home Sunday afternoon, the occasion being the ninth anniversary of her birth. Ice-cream and other goodies were served and very much enjoyed. In the evening the celebrants were tendered an automobile ride.

Deputy Sheriff Galbreath and Miller of San Antonio were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Albert Bippert of Moore was noted on our streets today.

Castroville, Tex., Feb. 16, 1914.

**A MESSAGE TO WOMEN**

**Who Are "Just Ready to Drop."**

When you are "just ready to drop," when you feel so weak that you can hardly drag yourself about—and because you have not slept well, you get up as tired-out next morning as when you went to bed, you need help.

Miss Lea Dumas writes from Malone, N. Y., saying: "I was in a badly run-down condition for several weeks but two bottles of Vinol put me on my feet again and made me strong and well. Vinol has done me more good than all the other medicines I ever took."

If the careworn, run-down women, the pale, sickly children and feeble old folks around here would follow Miss Dumas' example, they, too, would soon be able to say that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, had built them up and made them strong.

It is a wonderful, strength creator and body-builder, and we sell it under a guarantee of satisfaction. You get your money back if Vinol does not help you.

W. H. Windrow, Druggist, Hondo.

Most of our farmers to-day think hog raising does not pay. Owing to the present high price of corn that prevails, raising hogs on a corn diet alone would be unprofitable. But if you will try a patch of oats and rye in the fall and peanuts in spring and summer you will easily see how you can produce cheap pork.

**Successful Everywhere.**

People everywhere are talking of the quick and fine results Foley's Kidney Pills give in backache, rheumatism, kidney and bladder troubles. You can not take them into your system without good results. That is because Foley Kidney Pills give to the kidneys and bladder just what nature calls for to heal these weakened and inactive organs. W. H. Windrow.

Every woman sees the possibility of a garage in her old chicken house.

**Safe For Babies, Effective For Grown-Ups**

That's Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It has the confidence of your druggist, who knows it will give you satisfaction. W. W. Nesmith, Statesboro, Ga., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in my family and have sold it in my store and it never fails to cure." Refuse a substitute. W. H. Windrow.

**The Best Cough Medicine.**

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ever since I have been keeping house," says L. C. Hames, of Marbury, Ala. "I consider it one of the best remedies I ever used. My children have all taken it and it works like a charm. For colds and whooping cough it is excellent." For sale by All Dealers.

No man is as important as the way some of them hold their cigars.

A man's enemies are frequently the best evidence of his worth.

**Poultry Notes.**

When one pauses to consider the immense number of eggs that are used in the trades, in addition to the immense number used in the households of the land, it would seem impossible to secure half enough to go around. All these, in addition to the quantity used in the hatcheries to make meat. We have seen it stated lately that the calico printers require more than 40,000,000 dozens of eggs each year; that coffee roasters, the photographic trade, the chemical trades and the cracker and biscuit combines use more than twice as many as do the calico printers; that the liquor makers call for a vast number, as do also the leather men, the tanners, the patent food men. A single biscuit company in New York City buys 4,000 eggs every week. "Can poultry farms pay?"

One union we greatly approve; one boycott we desire to see vigorously enforced. This is a union of dealers to buy eggs on a strictly quality basis. It is a boycott against the seller of misshapen, dirty, aged, harlequin eggs. The farmer should give the time, attention and skill necessary to good results.

Remember that newly-hatched chicks do not need food or water for the first twenty-four hours. To give these is to run a risk of losing your little brood. A dear old lady, living near Anchorage, Ky., who is very successful with her chicks, takes them from the hen, or the incubator, as soon as they are dry after hatching, and puts them in a common split basket that has been lined with old flannel cloth—usually the old lady's last season's flannel-petticoat—which she places under the stove or near her bedroom fireplace for the first twenty-four hours. At the end of this time the wee little bits of down are fed in a shallow box—a tablespoonful of fine oatmeal to each fifty chicks. She takes them out and feeds them every two hours.

Only healthy, strong and vigorous stock should be used if one expects to have quick-growing, profitable market birds.

The period of incubation differs a good deal in the varieties of fowls. The chicken requires twenty-one days; the guinea takes twenty-eight, or a month; ducks need thirty-one; geese twenty-seven to thirty; the peafowl from twenty-seven to twenty-nine.

No one nowadays should think of wasting the time of a hen in incubating her eggs. The world is too populous, and requires too many eggs and fowls for food for a hen to spend weeks on incubating. The poultterer is reaching after a 300-egg hen. She could never be found if she had to brood eggs and raise chicks up to adulthood, as well as turn out eggs.

The more quickly you can get birds large enough and weighty enough for the ever greedy markets, the less money and time and risk you expend upon them. Use the big American stock, hatch early, feed to win.

For Sale—Rhode Island Red and Buff Orpington Eggs, \$1.00 per setting of 15. Apply to Wm. Eckhart, Dunlay, Texas, or ring Telephone 4, 1 long, 4 shorts. 28-1f

For Sale, A few settings of eggs from a select mating of pure blooded Barred Plymouth Rocks at \$1.50 per setting of 15. File your orders early at The Anvil Herald office.

**Feel Miserable?**

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed Liver and Kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from virulent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave up, he took Electric Bitters and is now a well man. Get a bottle to-day; it will do the same for you. Keep in the house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c and \$1.00 H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

**The Right Spirit.**

A bowery kid picked up by the Salvation Army showed signs of strong convictions, and he was asked to "speak in meetin'" one night on a street corner. He spoke as follows: "Feller guys: When I was sovin' the devil did I have these pants? Naw. When I was sovin' the devil did I have this hat? Naw. 'Thell wit' him'."

**Eczema and Itching.**

Sold under a positive guarantee to refund the purchase price if it does not cure itch, ringworm, tetter and all other skin diseases. Hunt's Cure has proven itself the standard medicine for skin diseases. Ask any druggist and read the positive guarantee that goes with each package. Price 50c. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

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**A Winter Cough.**

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body, weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders, of Cavendish, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50c. and \$1.00 At all Druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Enough is as good as a feast, but the average man wants a surplus.



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**W. H. WINDROW, Druggist**

## PERSONALS

This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it. There will be a masquerade dance at Dunlay tonight.

Phillip Karrer was a business visitor to Lacoste Tuesday.

Miss Yarbrough was a visitor to San Antonio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brashier were here Saturday from Sabinal.

All kinds of cakes, candies and other confections at Heyen's.

Mrs. F. G. Muennink was a visitor to Castroville during the week.

The best paper for local and county news—that's the Anvil Herald.

Mrs. Matt Rath has been very sick this week but is reported improving.

Cotton shipments had reached 7899 bales up to Thursday night of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hoover returned Friday of last week from their honeymoon trip.

Mrs. Henry Oefinger of D'Hanis, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Matt Rath.

Mrs. E. Brunt was here Friday of last week to attend the meeting of the Rebekah lodge.

Mrs. Hattie Canon has returned from Dallas where she went to purchase her spring millinery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks and daughter, Miss Bessie, were Alamo City visitors Saturday.

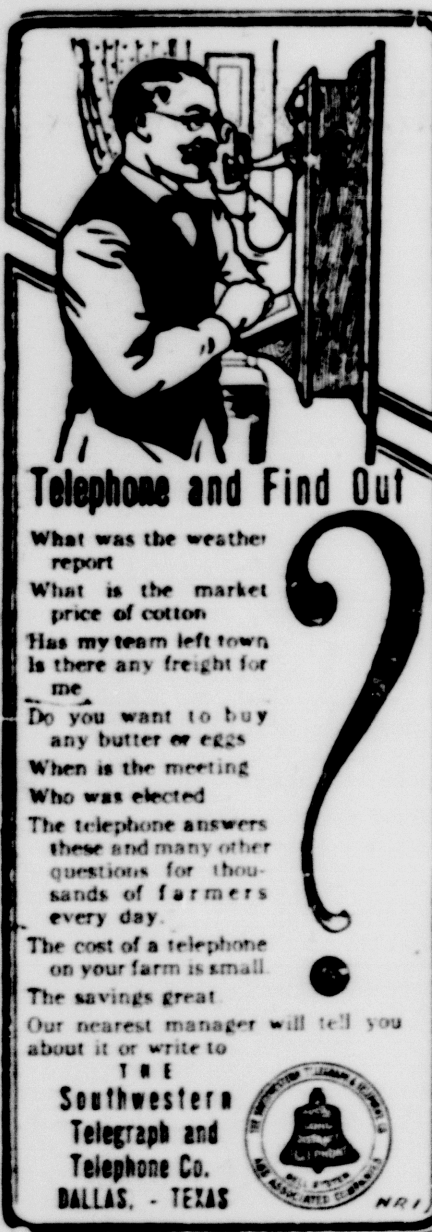
A number of second hand cars for sale cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman, Jr., and boys were among the week's visitors to San Antonio to witness "Everywoman" at the Grand Opera House.

Avoid sickness by having correct plumbing about your premises and have Philip Karrer do the work.

W. H. Walker, of Eagle Pass, visited his brother, W. H. Walker, and family here the first of the week.

Now Laugh! Because you can come to the Racket store and get what you want in dress goods, laces and Embroideries.



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What is the market price of cotton  
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**LOST—A Grey hound, white feet and white on breast. Liberal reward will be paid for his return to O. J. Hilgers.**

Try our job printing.  
Measles are still raging in Hondo.  
For sanitary plumbing see Philip Karrer.  
All kinds of fruit in season at F. A. Heyen's.  
Fresh Grape Fruit and Pine Apples at Heyen's.  
Box Apples, \$2.00 to \$2.75 per box at F. A. Heyen's.  
Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.  
County Attorney R. J. Noonan went to San Antonio Saturday.  
The paper that has something to read in it—the Anvil Herald.  
We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merriman have both been very sick with measles but are improving.  
All kinds of roofing, guttering, tanks, and other tin and sheet metal work done promptly Philip Karrer.  
Now Laugh! Because you can come to the Racket store and get what you want in dress goods, laces and Embroideries.

Miss Alice Smith, the Anvil Herald's typo, is sick with measles and we have been working short handed for the past week.

We wish to go to press with this paper soon after noon on Friday of each week and in order to do so must have copy in early—please.

Momyk is the best cow feed if you want more milk. Give it a trial. Ring telephone 205 and let the Hondo Commission Co. deliver you a trial order.

For Sale, A forty-acre farm-lot in Medina Valley, \$50.00 per acre; half cash and balance in one and two years at 8 per cent. Apply to Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery & Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We own the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for someone. McClaugherty & Horger.

Miss Lurene Decker missed quite a number of days from school on account of suffering with her arm, but she is better and her friends are all glad to see her back at school again.

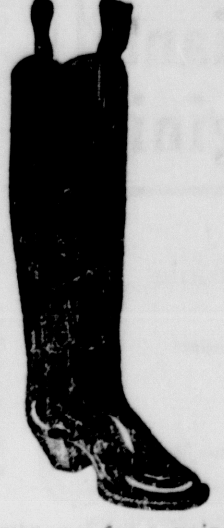
**WANTED**—White girl, German preferred, two in family, no laundry, first-class wages. Address, Mrs. J. W. Furnish, 1020 W. Magnolia avenue, Beacon Hill, San Antonio, Texas.

**\$10.00 Reward:** Strayed or stolen, one bay mare, 16 hands high, 20 years old, blind in left eye; also one bay mare 16 hands high, 4 years old, white spot in forehead; both unbranded. The above reward will be paid for information leading to recovery of same by Willie Lamon, Castroville, Tex. 4t

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The Anvil Herald is in receipt of the following card: "Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlenz request the honor of your presence at the marriage ceremony of their daughter, Minnie Christina to Mr. William George Poehler, on Thursday afternoon, the twenty-sixth day of February, at three o'clock, One Thousand, nine hundred and fourteen, at the residence, Vandenberg, Texas."

## JUSTIN'S BOOTS!



Did you ever wear a pair of Justin's Celebrated Cowboy Boots?

If you haven't we would like for you to give us a trial, we have pleased many, we can please you. We are in position to fill orders on short notice. Call and let me take your measure for a pair. Quality the best, and the price is very reasonable.

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HONDO, TEXAS

## Announcements

**County Treasurer.**  
We are authorized to announce  
**JACK J. BROTHGOURT**  
as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

I hereby announce as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer at the November election and solicit the vote and support of all voters.  
**EMIL BRITSCH**

We are authorized to announce  
**J. G. HEYEN**  
as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

**Sheriff**  
We are authorized to announce  
**D. R. MARTIN**  
as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking one and all for their confidence and support in the past and soliciting your vote at the November election on the assurance of a continued effort to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County.  
Respectfully,  
**JOE F. BADER.**

**County Judge**  
We are authorized to announce  
**R. J. NOONAN**  
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors, I again announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina County at next November election, and on my past record of impartiality and efficiency, I again solicit your vote and support.  
**H. E. HAASS.**

**County Attorney**  
We are authorized to announce  
**ELMER DE MONTEL**  
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the November election.

**County Clerk**  
Thanking the voters of Medina County for their support in the past, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk and again ask for your votes and support for the same at the November election.  
Respectfully,  
**S. A. JUNGMAN.**

**Tax Collector**  
We are authorized to announce  
**JOE NEY**  
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

**Justice of the Peace**  
We are authorized to announce  
**A. M. LAMM**  
as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

**A Snap For Sale.**  
Will sell all or part of a 320-acre farm, 1-3 in field, 35-ft. well with inexhaustible supply of water, wind-mill, one 3-room house and one 2-room house with gallery. All for \$30 per acre, 1-3 cash, balance at 6 per cent, if sold in next 30 days. Phone or write,  
**H. R. BAILEY.**

**For Sale.**  
My place at New Fountain, 96 acres, 75 in cultivation.  
**J. O. GRELL JR.,**  
2 mo. pd. Dunlay, Texas.

**Notice Stockmen.**  
A large stock of Blackleg vaccine is here now. Now is the time to use it.  
**W. H. WINDROW.**

J. W. Ridenour has begun the erection of a new store building on the west side of College Square.

Mrs. Wm. Stevenson returned to her home at Uvalde Tuesday after having spent some time here with her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Heyen.

Ivanhoe, featuring King Baggot, will be shown at the Star Theatre in the near future. Watch for date and don't miss it. 10 and 20 cents.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler has begun the erection of a second story addition to her confectionery building. Contractor H. F. Woods is doing the work.

Elsewhere will be found the announcement of Sheriff Joe F. Bader for the office of Sheriff of Medina county. See his card in the proper column.

Next Feature Program at the Star will be Ivanhoe, followed by Absintine and the Merchant of Venice. Watch for date and do not pass any of these up.

Attention is called to the announcement of Judge H. E. Haass for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina county at the November election. Look up the proper column.

**HENRY ROTHE, Pres.** **H. E. KING, Cashier.**  
**JOE NEY, Vice-Pres.** **J. R. CHANCEY, Asst. Cash.**

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# A CLERGYMAN'S STORY

## Came Near Losing His Life—How He Escaped

The following letter was received by The Peruna Co. from Rev. G. W. Roberts, R. R. 2, Box 27, Hartsell, Alabama, under date of April 2, 1904, which is exactly nine years ago. He says: "I take pleasure in informing you of what your Peruna has done for me after three years of suffering. I had tried the treatments of several doctors, also home remedies, but they failed and all hope had gone. My friends, like myself, thought I was in the last stages of consumption."



REV. G. W. ROBERTS,  
R. R. 2, Box 27,  
Hartsell, Ala.

We quote from another letter, dated December 10, 1906: "I praise Peruna to all the sick. The people know my case, and they praise it also."

In a letter dated November 22, 1909, we quote Rev. Roberts: "Peruna gave me back my life ten years ago. All my acquaintances know that. I am certainly thankful to you for your kindness."

In a later letter, dated January 13, 1910, he says: "I shall ever in the future, as in the past, be ready to speak in praise of Peruna to all sufferers. I believe my miraculous cure has been the means of many others being cured in this county."

From a letter of September 5, 1911, we quote a few words: "I am still among the living. As to Peruna, I do not feel that I have words to express the faith I have in its merits. I feel that Peruna has been the means, through the kind providence of God, of prolonging my life for more than ten years."

We quote a still later letter, October 31, 1912. He says: "I took a severe cold three weeks ago. I at once sent for Peruna. Have been taking it two weeks. I am now better. I consider that Peruna has carried me over a dozen years of life. I always stand ready to answer any question in reference to Peruna."

We quote from his last letter, dated January 2, 1913: "Dear Friends: I wish this bright New Year to express my thanks to you for your kindness. Trusting that you may have a successful and happy year, and that your medicine may prove a blessing to many as it has to me, I am yours as ever, G. W. Roberts, Hartsell, Alabama, R. F. D. 2, Box 27."

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There are twenty-eight chapters in the book, on such subjects as preparing the land, drainage, use of fertilizers, seed selection, live-stock, dairy farming, hog-raising, the silo, better corn, better cotton, farm book-keeping, landlord and tenant, and healthfulness on the farm.

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## FARMERS RAISE FLAG OF TRUCE

### City Prohibitionists Warned Against Strife.

#### Agricultural Legislation Demanded.

Fort Worth, Texas.—The following statement defining the position of the Farmers' Union on prohibition has been issued:

We recognize that the liquor question is a problem that is entitled to the consideration of the public, but we submit that the issue has but recently been passed upon by the voters of the state and that the past three or four sessions of the legislature have done little else than wrangle over the liquor question obstructing other important legislation for almost a quarter of a century.

#### Hurled Defy at Obstructionists.

We are as much opposed to legislation favorable to the Antis as we are to legislation favorable to the Pros. The introduction of a liquor bill has invariably swept the calendar of all other measures, however meritorious, and has thrown the legislature into a seething mass of dissension. It is between these combatants that the Farmers' Union, with a membership of a quarter of a million, marshals its forces, raises a flag of truce and hurled a defy at either Pro or Anti, great or small, who refuses to salute the flag and warns all obstructionists of whatever character to cease their activities until constructive legislation can be secured for the agricultural interests of Texas. Legislation that will help the farmer must be made the paramount issue in this campaign.

#### Eliminate the Politician.

We recognize that the elimination of this question from the present campaign will paralyze the ambition of many party leaders, strike dumb some of our foremost political orators and send many of our leading politicians to useful occupations for a livelihood, but the prosperity of all the farmers is more important than the preservation of a few contentious leaders.

It may be said that liquor legislation need not necessarily conflict with business legislation, but past experience completely blasts that hope. Then, too, it requires a different type of men to transact business from what it does to play politics. The next administrative and legislative branches of government should be a student body, addressing themselves exclusively to the solution of economic problems and they should not be troubled with troublesome questions from the cities.

#### Laws That Will Build Needed.

The Farmers' Union, as an organization, will endorse no candidate for office, but its members will in the main support candidates who are in accord with its principles of peace and harmony. Perhaps seventy-five per cent of our members voted for state-wide prohibition when the question was last submitted, but they cannot live on water alone; they must have bread. There are things the farmers of Texas want for themselves far more than things they want to keep others from having. We need necessities for ourselves far more than to keep others from buying things that are unnecessary. We want the next legislature to develop the positive side of life, rather than the negative; we would like to hear the legislature say "thou shalt" to the strong and the capable as well as "thou shalt not" to the weak and vulgar. We want laws that build, as well as those that bind. We want strong men in the legislature who are able to deal with the tremendous forces of civilization rather than those who can gossip on the frailties of human nature.

The farmers of Texas will no longer be satisfied with platitudes or be further entertained with horrible stories of the wickedness of cities. Since the beginning of time, the cities have been seething in sin and they always will be. They have been blocking agricultural legislation in Texas for the past quarter of a century, asking for laws that will wash them whiter than snow. Will they please open up the gangway and let the farmer in?

#### State-Wide Prosperity the Issue.

We want to counsel the conservative and warn the radical that the paramount issue in this campaign is state-wide prosperity for the farmer and the more rapid development of the resources of Texas. We ask the farmers of Texas and the city business men to co-operate with the Union in its efforts to secure political peace and constructive legislation.

W. D. LEWIS, President.  
PETER RADFORD, Ex-President.  
Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of Texas.

## A SANDWICHED PROGRAM

### PART I. ORCHESTRA BABY SONG

"Come Play With Us"..... Velma Westbrook

#### READING

"A Reading From Mr. Ott"..... Miss Pearl Newton

#### VIOLIN SOLO

"Zethus"..... Miss Katie Saathoff (Miss Harris, accompanist)

#### VOCAL SOLO

"The Rosary"..... Miss Mellie Newton

#### READING

"The Innocent Drummer"..... Mrs. Tom Heath

Scene I, The Parting. Scene II, The Drummer in Chicago.

Scene III, The Return Home.

#### VOCAL SOLO

"My Lady"..... Miss Ruby Locklin

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"Jimmy Butler and The Owl"..... Miss Hallie Walker

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"Summer Night"..... Misses Locklin and Harris

Indian Club Drill..... Miss Mellie Newton

#### FARCE

#### Courtship Under Difficulties

##### Cast of Characters:

Snobblerton..... Mr. Sterling Fly.

Jones..... Mr. Wesley McClaugherty.

Prudence Angelina Winterbottom..... Miss Hallie Walker.

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#### Assessor's Notice.

I will be at the following named places on their respective dates for the purpose of taking assessments for the year 1914:

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Zig Zag, Feb. 18  
Devine, Feb. 19, 20 and 21.  
Natalia, Feb. 25.  
Lacoste, Feb. 25.  
Noonan, Feb. 27.  
Dunlap, Feb. 28.  
Rio Medina, March 2.  
Castroville, March 3 and 4.  
H. B. Balzen's, March 9.  
Grell's Store, March 10.  
Oeffinger's Store, March 11.  
D'Hanis, at Rothe & Koch's Store, March 16; at Louis Carle's Store, March 17.  
Old D'Hanis, at P. M. Koch's March 18.  
Yancey, March 23.

Respectfully yours,  
H. B. TAYLOR,  
Tax Assessor, Medina County.

#### To The Public.

I take this method of thanking the officers and managers of the Medina County Aid Society for the prompt payment of my claim of \$389.00 against said society upon the death of my husband, Armin Boehme.

Wishing that the Medina County Aid Society will increase in membership, I remain,

Very Respectfully,  
MRS. LUDWIG BOEHME.

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## The Winning of Latane Cashton.

This play will be given by local talent at the Auditorium, Friday night, February 27th for the benefit of the Hondo Mothers' Club. Seats are on sale at Windrow's at 25c, 35c and 50c.

The following is the cast of characters and a synopsis of the play as it will be given:

##### CAST OF CHARACTERS:

Philip P. Cashton, President Cashton Phosphate Co., and father

of Latane..... Henry Mercer

Mrs. Philip P. Cashton, Step-mother

of Latane and chief aid to first villain..... Sallotte Dardeen

Ruth Spaulding, Private Secretary

to Mr. Cashton and wife of first villain..... Lucile Mercer

Julius Sears, First Villain, man of

millions, and suitor for Latane's hand..... W. R. Meredith

Robert Sparr, Second Villain, Superintendent Cashton Phosphate

Co., and a friend of Sears.....

..... P. L. Crain

Trusty Hopkins, Faithful Negro

servant in the Cashton home and factory..... Earl Starnes

Frank Efforton, Faithful employe

of Mr. Cashton, and loves his daughter..... Osborne Chancey

Latane Cashton, Faithful daughter

of Mr. Cashton, and loves Frank..... Mantadelle Yarborough

SYNOPSIS:

Act. 1.—Scene, President's office, Cashton Phosphate Co.

Act. 2.—Scene 1. Laboratory in same plant; Scene 2, Same as Act 1. Same day.

Act 3.—Scene 1. Library in Cashton home. Same eve. Scene 2, same as Scene 1, Act 2.

Act 4.—Scene, Poverty-stricken home of Mr. Cashton, three months later.

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